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WASHINGTON, D. C.

Official—and unofficial—Washington is up to its ears in preparation for the approaching conference on the limitation of armament. Civic bodies of the National Capitol are preparing to give the delegates and visitors a royal welcome, and it is needless to add, that Washington is extending itself to the limit for their entertainment.

There is something inspiring and significant about the fact that the armaments conference opens on Armistice Day, and that the nation represented will unite in doing honor to the unknown soldier, who will that day be interred at Arlington

For the first time in history, the President of the United States and all his Cabinet will march as a guard of honor from the Capitol to Arlington, paying tribute in the person of one nameless lad to all those who lost their lives in the Great World War.

The vanguard of delegates and visitors are already beginning to arrive and in a short while all hotel and rooming-house accommodations, that have not been reserved in advance, will be taken. If any of our deaf friends are contemplating a visit to the Capital around this time it behoves them to get busy and arrange for accommodations, else they will have to camp out on the park benches.

Instead of holding bi-monthly services for the deaf at Calvary Bapitst Church, as has been the custom for several years, services will be held every Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. This mission is a large one, with a membership roll well over the hundred mark, and in order that the spiritual needs of such a large congregation mfght be properly looked after the authorities of the church deemed it advisable to recall Rev. A. D. Bryant from his ministing to the deaf of the Monumental City so that he might give his undivided attention to his Washington flock. We have not as yet been advised who will take Rev. Bryant's peace as minister in change of the deaf Mission at Baltimore, but understand that Prof. Harley D. Drake, of Gallaudet College is his most likely successor.

The first of the monthly socials that will be held at Calvary Baptist Church was pulled off on the evening of October 10th. The large crowd present was amply repaid for its coming. The piece de resistence being a comic dialogne by those past masters of dramatic entertainment, the Damon and Pythias of the local silent colony, Messrs. Gerald Ferguson and Roger Scott. The skit was entitled "Six Feet of White Lies," and was very amusing. This was followed by a short lecture by Rev. Bryant, who took for his subject "The Idiasyncrasies of Famous Authors and Poets." Mr. W. Cooper brought the program to a close with some amusing tales of College life at Gallaudet. The usual round of refreshments were served. The next social will be held on some date in November yet to be announced.

It is expected that Congress will in the near future, pass a blue-sky law for the District of Columbia. When this legislation has been enacted it will protect the army of government employes, many of whom are deaf, and others who have been esperially preyed upon by unscrupulous stock salesmen. For some time past conditions have been very bad in the National Capital, as this city has proved fertile hunting-grouud for the speculative and fraudulent stock salesmen, these fly-by-nighter's who pay neither rent nor bills. Only a few of our deaf citizens have been hood-winked by these sharks, and we hope that they will profit by this experince and in the future they will not be so gullible to the wiles and blandishments of get-rich quick schemers. Some of these concerns selling stock from door to door may be all right, but it is a mighty big question if any concern that pays 40 per cent or more for the sale of stock; 10 per cent to 20 per cent for travelling and other expenses, can live with such a tremendous handicap to start with.

Several former residents of the Capital were in town during the past summer. John O'Raurke stopped off and remaind several days, while on the way to his home Kittery, Me., from the Frat Convention at Atlanta. Johnnie's visits to the old homestead are few and far-between, and when he does come he's gone again before one can get a good look at him.

Mrs. H C. Merrill and her daughter, Beatrice, were here for several weeks and evidently both enjoyed their stay in the old home town. The climate up North seems to agree with them as they were both looking fine. Mrs. Merrill says that she likes her new home way up in the great Empire State, but still there's no place like Washington

Mrs. Florence Nicholson, now a teacher at the Staunton, Va., school, and her children were in Washington for the greater part of the summer. Like Mrs. Merrill, Mrs Nicholson has become greatly attached to her new surroundings, bnt can't quite say good bye to the Capital.

Mrs Cady Burton (*nee* Painter) was also a Capital visitor a short time ago The Burtons have a fine farm near Charlottesville, Va., and Miss Burton and her children look after it, while Mr. Burton, who is connected with the Post Office Department is away from home.

Miss Theresa Gaillard, a teacher in the South Carolina School for the Deaf, was here for several days, as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smoak.

Messrs. Clay Johnson, of Lynchburg, Va., and Floyd Frey, of New Fredonia, Pa., were recent guests at the Duncan Smoak home. Mr. Smoak recently purchased a new flivver, consequently his guests found him an entertaning host.

Mrs. E E. Hannan has just returned from a visit to an aunt in Brooklyn, N. Y. She expects to return to the Big Town in a short time, as her aunt is not in the best of health, and desires Mrs. Hannan to be with her as much as possible.

Washington Division, No 46, N. F. S. D., held a Penny-Party at their hall in N. E. Masonic Temple, 8th and F Streets, N. E., Saturday evening, October 22d

The Capital Silent Athletic Club, of which Gerald Ferguson is the founder and leader, gave a vandeville show at Frats' Hall a short time ago. The skits put on by the boys were quite amusing and were well received by the large audience that was present. A neat sum was realized from the affair, which will be used to re-equip the Club's Basket Ball team. These young folks are a bunch of live wires and are diserving of all the support that can be given them. The Basket Ball team is composed of Messrs. Ferguson, Scott, Sullivan, Miller and Nicol. Milton Galloway is the Club's secretary and official scorer.

The following is a clipping from the Washington *Evening Star* of a recent date:

"Repeal of the police regulation under which deaf persons are denied permits to drive automobiles is asked by Dr. Percival Hall, president of the Columbia Institution for the Deaf, in a letter to the Commissioners. It has been referred to Capt. Headley, head of the traffic bureau, for report.

"Dr. Hall contends that deaf persons are entitled to the use of the highways on equal terms with other citizens unless it can be proved that they are a menance to the public. Dr. Hall told the Commissioners he does not believe that has been proven.

"He cited the city of Detroit, with approximatley twice the population of Washington, where deaf persons are permitted to drive autombiles."

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Alley will shortly leave for a trip to Roanoke, Va., and Williamson, W. Va., where they will make a protracted visit with relatives of Mr. Alley. Mr. Alley recently had the misfortune to be knocked down by a street-car while hiding his bicycle. Luckily, his hurts were of a minor character, which did not necessitate the loss of much time from his official duties.

The question of taking care of the unemployed does not seem to be so much of a problem in the Capital as it does in other cities of the same size. Of the nearly half-million population of Washington, only about 2,500 or 3,000 are eligible for membership in Mr. Ledoux's F. U. O. (for unemployed only) Club. If we are not mistaken, only *one* deaf man in the District of Columbia is involuntarily idle, and Washington has a deaf population in the neighborhood of 200 By this we do not mean to advise the deaf of other localities who may be temporarily out to pack their grips and make of work a bee line for this burg with the idea that jobs are lying around loose, ready to be picked up. The fact is few if any jobs are open outside the Civil Service, and to qualify for these one must first pass a Civil Service examintion. This may be a hard winter for some, but unfailing indications point to the early dawn of better times.

Miss Jennie Jones, of the old North State, and until recently an employee of the Goodyear Rubber and Tire Co., of Akron, is now in Washington, where she is employed as an accountant at Woodward and Lathrop's Department store.

Mr. Herman Kohn, also a former Goodyearite, arrived in Washington from Akron a few weeks ago. He secured employment as a tinner with Frank Schuessler & Company, Mr. Kohn states that if he finds plenty of work here he will remain in Washington for good, but if work is slack, he will move on elsewhere.

A few months ago Mr. Frank C. Schuessler established a copper tin and sheet-metal work busineas out at Tokoma Park, a suburb of Washington, and already his business has grown to such an extent that he has six men in his employ, and even with these employees, is unable to keep up with the orders that keep pouring in. Mr. Schuessler is a quiet unassuming gentleman, and he and his wife are well liked by the host of friends they have made since coming to the Capital from Kentucky a few years ago. Needles to say that Mr Schuessler's friends are pleased at the success of his venture.

As usual, Miss Helen Waters spent the greater part of the snmmer with relatives at Warriaton, Va. She reports as having had a grand time, and her appearances bear out her assertions. She and her aunt, Miss Fannie Myers, were at the October Social at Calvary Baptist Church, where they were greted most enthusiastically. Miss Neyers has always been a strong supporter of the Baptist Mission, and we all regret that because ill health she is unable to be with us more frequently.

Rev. Henry J. Pulver has taken charge of the Episcopal Mission for the Deaf here, and will hold services on the first and third Sundays of each month. Mr. Pulver expects to continue his studies for another year, when he will be ordained as a Priest.

Wallace Edington, who was graduated from George Washington University last June with a A.B. degree has re entered the University for a post-graduate course. Mr. Edington is employed as a junior chemist in the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

William Lowell and children spent several weeks with Mr. Lowell's uncle at Portsmouth, Ohio.

Roger Scott and James Davidson motored down to Reanoke, Va., a few weeks ago, stopping at Staunton on the way down They report a fine trip, their only unpleasantness being a run-in with a hick cop, who asserted that they were exceeding the speed limit of his town.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. (Bobs) Roberts have shaken the dust of Washington and Kendall Green off then shoes and hied themselves to the Windy Burg, on the shores of Lake Michigan, where Bobs took up his duties as Assisant Grand Secretary of the N. F. S. D. While the N. F. S. D. has robbed Washington of two most estimable and useful citizens, and we all regret exceedingly to see them leave us, we cannot help but congratulate the N. F. S. D. upon its wisdom in drafting such an able and efficient official. Bobs made the trip overland in his Maxwell and negotiated the long journey without a mishap.

President Harry E. Anderson of the N." F. S. D. stopped off in Washington, while on his way home from the Atlanta Convention. While here he was the guest of Assistant Secretary Roberts. An informal reception was tendued him by the local Frat Division, at Kendall Green. As Prixy was seeking a rest after that strenuous week at Atlanta, no formal entertaiument was attempted.

Another after-convention visitor was Mr. Louis J. Bacheberle, of Cincinnati, O., better known as "Ach Louie" in his home town. After seeing the sights of the Capital, Mr. Bacheberle went to Atlantic City for a few days.

The "Triple K" Club (nd connection with the Klan now under investigation by the Rules Committe of the House of Representatives) met at the home of Mrs. ... Souder, on the evening of October 11th, to elect a board of officers for the ensuing year, and to transact such other business as might be brought up. As this Club (founded by Mrs. Merrill several years ago) is exclusively a feminine organigation and the ladies won't tell what took plance, we are unable to give any details except that Mrs. Parker was elected president to succeed Mrs. Souder, who has been president for the past year. We understand that the club will continue to meet bimonthly.

The National Literary Society held its annual business at North East Temple, Wednesday evening, October 19th.

Mrs C. C. Colby and daughters are again in Washington. We understand they expect to remain permanently in Washington. At present they are domiciled at the Dewey Hotel, but hope to be able to lease an appartment soon.

OCCASIONAL.

DENVER.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph G. Connel, of Derby, Colorado, recently spent several days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Fisher. Mr. Connel is a farmer and got very good crops this year.

At present three of the deaf colony in Denver are running their own business shops: Geo Huff, shoe-shop and Thos Y. Northern, linotype shop All are doing well. From recent rumors, it seems that several more will launch into business for themselves before long. That's right show the public what the deaf can do.

The Liberty Club, an organization of the deaf ladies, of Denver held its monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Huff, October 12th. This is an organization for mutual helpfulness among the ladies and bids fair to keep on doing a lot of good at its present rate.

Mrs. Laughlan is reported to be on the sick list at present. Her husband has been in a hospital for many years, due to lead poisoning, which he acquired while working in a lead smelter in Denver.

John Kilthan, who underwent an operation recently, is reported to be doing well and will be out of the hospital before this gets into print

Ed. Whitaker, who hails from St. Louis, where he originally was a painter and decorator, has given up any idea of returning to that burgh, as he has purchased an attractive home in North Denver. Oh! boy! Colorado is the place to live, while the rest of the country is boiling in summer, and also the place to live, while blizzard are raging all around. Denver will show the world in 1927.

We understand a large number of the deaf have been laid off by Goodyear and Firestone, and that as a result Mr. Matthews is returning to his native State, Colorado, and intends to take up farming hereafter. Farming is the best thing in the world for the deaf in spite of its loneliness and the gamble with the weather and prices.

The writers wish to apologize to J. L. Harvat for the misspelling of his name in a recent issue of the JOURNAL. We blame it on the printer's devil as we are sure, we had it down correctly, and not as it appeared in print. J. S. Harvat, no one of that name in Denvers Silent Colony.

Frank W. Trisler, who has been all over the country, has decided to locate in Denver, provided he can find work. All of the local silents are still at work with two exceptions, of these two exceptions, one is a chronic out-of-worker and the other was laid off by the General Chemical Co., when work slowed up, but has been able to get odd jobs to keep his feed bag full.

Everybody is getting ready for the Masked Ball on October 22d, and reports there will be some good costumes seen there.

The next meeting of the card club will be held at the D. H. ... ranch, ... miles north of ... Some method of transporting the members out and back will be arranged Everybody has legs, why not use them?

There was much interest over the world series games in Denver as if two teams belonged here. So far as the writers can find out most of the silents sided with the Yanks.

From the interest shown the newly formed Bible Class will be a permanent thing. There has been some difficulty in arranging a suitable hour for the meetings, but this will soon be settled.

Bob Frewing, who is a fishing crank, recently reported that T. R. Tansey went hunting and fished 13 rabbits. That's a new one on us, as we always thought they had to shoot rabbits.

"The frost is on the punkin and the corn is in the shock." That is to say frost has at last reached Denver, although its way past the usual time to look for first frost. The mornings have a tang in them that makes a fellow want to get out and play football. At the recent game between University of Denver School of Mines, Bob Frewing lent his classic presence to the event and rooted for D. U.

We would like to write up about the silents outside of Denver, but unfortunately have no means to find out the news about them. There are quite anumber of farmers among those silents, a good many own their farms and are making money in spite of the price slump. Be you afarmer, look out for price cuts for thats always where it starts, in spite of that it is an attractive and independent way of making a living. Among Denver's retired farmers are H. E. Grace, T. Y. Northern and Chas. Chandler, all the above want to get back to farming in the nearfuture. City life has its attractions, but give us "a heaving bronc on whose deck no man can stick."

Vernon F. Hezberger, after spending several months in Denver, as a carpenter has finally returned to his old home, Fowler, Col. Several years ago he made a pile of dollars at farming. The lure of the soil was greater than the dollars this time, as prices have dropped considerably since. We wish him every success.

Luther Alford and Stephen Jarovicks motorcycled out to Grant, way up in the mountains, on a fishing trip last Saturday night. They left following the card club meeting, which closed at 11 o'clock. What luck they had, we cannot say. But we have it that they enjoyed the trip even if the fish did not bite.

Miss Bertha Todd, of Memphis, Tennessee, who has sojourned in Denver for the past three months with her sister and brother in-law, will return home next week Her vacation was somewhat prolonged because of the lure of the mountains, to which she made weekly camping trips

Nick Rodrignez, that astute Castillian gentleman, who is known to his friends as Little Jeff, has blossomed out into the champion rat-catcher of Denver, claiming to have caught 12 rats in one evening. Some record we would say.

Wm. Greenewald is still working for an optical firm in Denver, where he has been working for several years. He is considered one of the best workmen there.

Daniel Decker has returned to his old position at the Armour Packing Co. Quite a number of the deaf work there.

Karl Knudsen, who has been laid up with a badly infected tooth, expects to be back at work at the same place soon.

DENVENTES.

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Christian Endeavor—4:15 P.M.
Everybody Welcome.

A DEAF-MUTE PRIEST.

SACERDOTAL ORDINATION OF REV. JEAN-MARIE LA FONTA, OF FRANCE.

On June 29th, 1921, Brother Jean-Marie La Fonta, who in the preceding year, had received minor orders, subdeaconship and deacon ship, was consecrated a priest on the Feast of St. Peter and Paul, by Cardinal Andrieu, in the magnificent primatial Church of Bordeaux in France.

He went through the ceremony of ordination without the slightest difficulty, and with an ease and recollection that excited the admiration of all present. Thanks to Father Isais, his teacher and director, he was able to pronounce every word of the Mass without omitting a single one. At the consecreation, his utterance synchronized perfectly with the words of the celebrant Cardinal Andrieu; nor was there the slightest deviation from or hesitation in the various movements prescribed by the ceremonial. In brief, there was an irreproachable exactness and precision in the whole course of the sacred rite, which was so remarkable that part of the congregation was unaware that one of the priests was a deaf mute.

The Surperior General, Father Maubon had come on from Paris to extend to the new priest and to his entire family assembled in the church, the congratulation, which for many reasons, they so richly deserved. He spoke for the Congregation of the Assumption both past and present.

Madame La Fonta, whose untiring perseverance and heroic devotedness to her son during every day of her life made her the chief wonderworker in this prodigy, which is absolutely without a precedent in the histoy of the Church, occupied, as was her undisputed right, the first place in the congregation which assisted at the ceremony. And one may well imagine with what emotion,—indeed, she could scarcely restrain it,—she followed one after another the different phrases of the liturgical ceremony. Around her were her children and her grand-children, besides other relatives: M and Mme. Maurice La Fonta and their children; M. J. La Fonta; M. and Mme. de Chaunac and two of their children; M. and Mme. Becheau; M. F. de Lanet; Count Raymond Pairer de Wolodkowiez, and Madame Charles Duvergier. Father Fonta's old professor, M. Pabble Chalier was also there, as were M. Gagnebin who prepared him for the baccalaureate, and Mme. Marie Borderie, Father La Fonta's nurse. The Sisters of Charity of Nevers came with a delegation of deaf mute girls, and the Institute of the rue de Marseilles was represented by its Director and a number of deaf-mute boys.

At the conclusion of the ceremony, the Cardinal conversed a long time with the new priests and expressed to Father La Fonta the intense joy he experienced in having raised him to the priesthood. When the newly ordained came in a boby to give their blessing, tears flowed from every eve as Father La Fonta laid his consecrated hands on his mother's head. At noon the whole community of the rue Pasteur, the ladies of Saint-Maur, participated in the family feast which Mme. La Fonta had spread for them.

The most thrilling moment was yet to come: the First Mass which was celebrated on the following day, at 8 o'clock, in the chapel of the rue Pasteur, at Cauderan. The Reverend Father Maubon was the assistant priest, and M. Maurice La Fonta served the Mass.

During three quarters of an hour or thereabouts, a feeling of awe and wonder took possesion of the little assembly, while the new priest went thought the august ceremonies with perfect self-possession; articulating all the prayers in the most irreproachable manner.

Not one word was lost by the hearers. At the Communion, Mme. La Fonta and her chilben first knelt at the Holy Table and then all the rest followed.

After the Mass the new priest recited the usual prayer in French at the foot of the altar and the whole congregation answered. Then he Magnificat was sung, followed by the blessing of the priest's hands, but not before Father Maubon had given utterance to a few moving words to the feelings that filled the hearts of the members of the Community of the Assumption and of all those who were present in the chapel. He almost sung as he told the marvellous story of love and grace that had begun at the very beginning of Father La Fonta's life and which had now reached its glorious culmination. It was a miracle of the love of God and the Blessed Virgin; a miracle of goodness, on the part of the Church; of the Sovereign Pontiff; of His Eminence the Cardinal of Bordeaux; of the Saint of the family, Father La Fonta's sister, Jeanne-Emmanuel who, from her throne in heaven, had been guiding her beloved brother; a miracle, finally of a mother's love which had never despaired of accomplishing her apparently unrealizable hope; and also a miracle of heroic perseverance on the part of the new priest himself.

Father La Fonta now celebrates Mass every day in one chapel or another so as to give communion to his numberless friends and benefactors: all eager for that happiness. His confidence increases every day, and the assistant priest is now merely an onlooker. He rarely goes beyond forty-five minutes, *ab amictu ad amicum*, namely from the time he arrives in in the sacristy till he lays aside the vestments. His observance of all the ceremonies is perfect.

It is unnecessary to state that this extraordinary ordination was the great event of Bordeaux, and has made the heart of many a deaf-mute throb with hope. In a few days. I shall accompany Father La Fonta to the Institution for Deaf-Mutes in the rue de Marseilles where he will be presented to Don Jaime, the second son of Alphonsus XIII of Spain. The Prince is a deaf-mute.—*A. Desprez, in the Echo de Famille.*

At last we have a deaf mute priest. On the first page is the translation of an article by Rev. Father Dayton, S. J., which appeared in the August number of the *Echo de Famille* published in Nantes (France). The new priest is a Frenchman. He was educated by the oral method mainly by his devoted mother. He can speak fluently aand it is due to this fact that he was ordained as he had to speak orally while saying Mass. Naturally it is expected he will look after the deaf, although nothing is said to this effect. We can all rejoice that at last the barriers have been lifted and let us hope that it will not be long before we see a deaf-mute of our own country, in every way worthy, raised to the sublime office of the priesthood. Such a one is needed and may be not long in coming.—*Editorial in Catholic Daef-Mute.*

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To the humblest and the weakest
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And they are slaves most base,
Whose love of right is for themselves,
And not for all the race."

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CHICAGO.

Our Governor wrote good Sup't White,
"Pack up and git next Thursday night!"
Our Governor seems rather Small
He did not treat White, *white* at all.

FIRED!

Superintendent H. T. White, managing officer of the State School at Jacksonville, the past three years succeeding Charles Gillett when the latter retired for a rest.

Governor Len Small is reported to have given White only ten days notice, simply informing him a Mr. Smith would succeed him on the 20th. No reason whatever was as signed.

O. C. Smith is overseas veteran, said to be 34, married, one child, no previous experience in teaching the deaf.

Governor Small a few months ago attratched national attention by being indicted by the grand jury, and then appearing to dodge arrest by the sheriff. Arrest of a Governor by a subordinate State officer is believed to have been without precedent.

He is now nearing trail for misappropriation of State funds, of something, while serving as State treasurer some years ago This is apparantly purely a policital move brought by States Attorney Brundage, presumably because Swell cut the legislative appropriation for the Attorney's office more than half. Small has long been under fire from "the interests" for his activities in behalf of the 5 cents fare. As a "Thompson-Tammany" man supported by the Hearst papers he has been the target for all the anti Hearst forces. This sudden replacing of White by Smith appears to be in the nature of a move to strengthen his political fences—just how is not yet apparent.

On hearing the news, John E. Purdum president of the Pas-a-Pas and of the new N. A. D. branch went down and spent several days in Springfield. He found E. W. Heber had already "done what he could." Evidently we deaf are small potatoes, even to Small, and our welfare and education are not worth considering when politics is concerned.

T. White, who has earned unvarying commendation by silent leaders for his sincere interest and progressive attitude as head of the school expressed his appreciation for all offers by friends to take up the cudgels in his behalf, but advised in a kindly way to do nothing. "The matter is over and irrevocable; don't get in bad by supporting a hopeless ease," he stated. Which is refreshing candor and self-sacrifice compared to some cases one could mention!

Like a bolt front the blue sky came news of the death of Fred Young, October 18th. The police phoned Mr. F. P Gibson that "a young deaf man named Young" had just been instantly killed by an auto down town, the address of the Silent A. C. being in his pockets. There being but one Young on the membership rolls of the Sac, everyone surmised at once that Freddie was dead, leaving a radiantly pretty young wife and a couple of bouncing babies.

The Sac got ready to turn out in for the funeral. All who had ever said one harsh word against Freddie were telling of his priceless virtues. "Best husband in town, finest fellow alive," etc.

President Sullivan gave Abe Nigatz five dollars and sent him out to buy a Sac floral offering and place it on the body. Migatz hunted up the undertaking parlors and paid his sorrowful respects to the cold, calmy corpse—even more silent than in life. Something funny; did not look much like Fred Young. Migatz looked closer. And closer. And began to wonder if he was loosing his reason. Suddenly a great light dawned on Abe. The deaf man Young was not Fred Young at all, but John Young, a Canadian who had hit town only a week before. By a coincidence both our own popular Fred, and the dead John, were schoolmates in Canada.

October 15th, a crowded house saw C. C. Codman's talk on the Ku Klux Klan, supplemented with excellent first hand information by C. Russell, formerly of Atlanta.

John Purdum, Chicago's latest "Miracle Man," addressed the "Public Opinion" open forum in St. Thomas Mission, St. Louis, October 16th. "Chicago," was his topic, and he stressed the fact that the several powerful clubs in Chicago Silentdom are gradually working into harmonious co-operatious preparatory to united action when some real fight worth fighting comes up such as a fool anti-auto law like the one the Missourians successfully combated.

W. Barrow managed a Poverty Patty at the Sac, October 15th.

Octocer 9th Mrs. J. Himslstein invited a few close friends to her husband surprise birthday luncheon.

Mrs. E. Craig turned the new Flickville sewing circle variously called the "Leiter Little League," or the "[illegible] Silk-So-so Sass-ity," by scornful husbands, who in heathen ignorance, are anable to see just why their storm-and-strife have to gather together to sew, instead of staying home where all the sewing implements are handy. Well, Mrs. Craig turned the October 20th meeting of the "Sass-ity" into a birthday party for one of the "Sassers." Mrs. Crthur L. Roberts, recently matron of Kendall Green

The Meaghers spent several days in Cincinnati and Kentucky late this month.

Local notorists, deaf as well as hearing, have long been annoyed by tin-star constables and speed cops in the suburbs, who pinch at the first sign of fast driving, and ouly let one go on slipping a ten or twenty "fine." These lawless upholders of the law are in a pretty pickle at present, and several conniving judges as well as a host of tin-star cops are going to be out of jobs. Some of them made as high as $400 per week, investigation by the State reveals.

By conniving with motorcycle officers justices have built up a lucrative business," said Deputy Sheriff Shultan. In some cases we found they had taxed as much as $15 for costs. In many cases $20 cash bond were accepted. The village recived $5 and the rest of the money was split between the justice and the arresting officer."

Then the western college students passed through Chicago last month, one of the Coast preps remarked wonderingly on the terrific lies of fatalities on our elevated, and was amazed to learn that not one person was killed while riding in a "L" train in the past fifteen years—during which "L" officials claim to have carried more passengers than the total population of the globe. As luck would have it, the collegians had hardly reached Gallaudet before the first man was killed in a wreck of the Oak Park line, and the boast of perfect safety is no more.

Dates ahead. October 29—Hallowe'en parties at Pas and Sac. November 5—Pas dance at Sac. 10-19—Bazzar at All Angeles. 20—(Possibly) Football game between Goodyear Silents and a local pros.

THE MEAGHERS.

National Association of the Deaf.

GALLAUDET MONUMENT REPLICA FUND.

BULLETIN No. 6

The following contributions to the Fund for the Gallaudet Mouument Replica to be erected at Hartford, Conn., have been received:—

Collected in Seattle, Washington, to September 8, 1921, by Olof Hanson, 4747—16th Ave., N. E., Seattle, Wash.

Oscar Adolf Sanders, Seattle		$2 00
Lewis O. Christenson	"	1 00
Bryan Wilson,	"	1 00
C. K. McConnell	"	1 00
John T. Bodley	"	1 00
Arthur Martin	"	50
John Hagadorn	"	50
William O. Sneve, Silvana, Wash.		1 00
Fred C. Kuhn	Seattle	1 00
Clementine Gerson	"	50
Annie Hampton	"	50
Gladys Ida Hess	"	50
Rosie Josephine Claeys	"	50
Hugo A. Holcombe, Bremerton		50
Mr. and Mrs. Olof Hanson, Seattle		2 00
A. W. Wright	"	50
Mr. and Mrs. True Partridge	"	1 00
Chas. Al. Gumaer	"	1 00
Winifred Chapman	"	50
Claude Wood	"	1 00
C. J. Daughdrill, Mobile		1 00
L. A. Hyder	"	1 00
L. N. Gould	"	1 00
Mrs. E. Matthews	"	25
Philetus P. Dorlon	"	1 00
T. D'Arcy Wilson	"	1 00
R. J. Fleming	"	1 00
John H. Lynch	"	50
John G. Brasell	"	25
Through Mr. G. S. Porter, Trenton, N. J.		
Tilden Smith, Waco, Texas		45
Total		$585 37

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HARLEY D. DRAKE,
JOHN B. HOTCHKISS, *Treasurer.*
Committee of the N. A. D.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanders, of Philadelphia, Pa., are announcing the brothal of their daughter, Mrs. Dorothy S. Krichel, to Mr. Frederick C. Knight, of Philadelphia.

LOS ANGELES.

September 9th marked the sixty-ninth anniversary of Statehood and also the seventy-first anniversary of the day when Commodore John D. Sloat sailed into Monterey as Commander of the Pacific Squadron, and ended the reign of Mexico. As a rule, the city fathers, county and State officials locked the old rusty door, hung the key on the nail, and gave their unalloyed attention to celebrating and frivolity. The day being generally known as "Admission Day" was passed in an usually quiet way.

It was a very pleasant surprise for the many friends of M. Clemento both in Kansas and Los Angeles to learn that he is no more a bachelor. Last week he was married to Miss Quaile, of Ohio, and the young couple sped away for a short honeymoon trip He has a good, steady position at the Goodyear Rubber plant, which will keep him and his bride comfortably happy in their new life.

It is said that Sam Diego, one hundred fifty miles south of Los Angeles, has thirty silents who already have a club. It is also said that they are going to add a new division to the N. F. S. D. in the future. Among the San Diego silents are Mr. and Mrs. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Cartwright and Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan, who are well-known to the Los Angeles Silents.

Messrs. Schneider and McCurry have recently dissolved their partnership in the shoe business, the latter being now the exclusive owner of the shoe shop. Mr. McCurry has a lovely wife, who graduated from Gallaudet College.

Friends of Mr. Michael Sullivan and wife in Illinois will be pleased to know that they have been living in San Diego since they first came to California from Illinois. Mr. Sullivan's fine, steady position, there seems to keep him from going anywhere permanently. As evidence, he has been a San Diegoan for over three years.

The coming of Mr. J. M. Wells from Tennessee is proof that the lure of California cannot be resisted. That is why he has been doing most of the carpentering among the film studios, and he has been harvesting lots of money.

There was a recent game of baseball between the Berkeley Silents and Eastern Silents at Exposition Park. After a hard and uphill game it resulted in favor of the Easterners, though the game was frequently interferred with by the dust storm. Another game is anticipated because some of the best players did not show up there.

Friends of Mrs Frank Burson, who was formerly Mrs. John Mills, in Illinois will be pleased to know that Mrs. Barson is still alive and seems to be just the same as ever, though a little fatter, and is getting along as comfortably as ever. She is lucky enough to have Mr. Burson as her husband, on account of his fame as a ball player. He was one of the best professional catchers in the Middle States.

It is generally known that the California School for the Deaf has re-opened for another term. As a result the deaf community is being pretty well thinned out by the return of the youngsters to the school.

Mr. C. Chaney, the well known barber in Colorado has the distinction of being the only deaf in the country that shaved General Custer before he was killed in a battle with the Wild Indians. He has a son playing as one of the famous film actors. His present wife was formerly Mrs. Marks, of Chicago. She and her husband are happily located here.

A picture of each frat of Los Angeles Division, No. 27, has recently been taken in order to be put in a group. The embleme of the N. F. S. D. will be centered and surrounded by the oval picture of each frat, making a very nice selection.

It is really a good thing to have Mr. C. Wringley, the grim manufacturer well known over the world, make our city famous by being owner of the Los Angeles Baseball Club and also by owning a large portion of Catalina Island.

September 22.—What proves this to be the busiest month of the year is the re-opening of all universities, colleges and schools; the closing of the baseball season; the beginning of the football season; the coming of Eastern tourists here to escape the cold winter; the harvesting of acorns by squirrels for the coming winter; the return of birds here for the warm climate; the end away of the summer secrection; the doing with straw hats and purchase of winter hats and overcoats, etc.

The Los Angeles Silent and Sunnyside Clubs have been pretty well thinned out by members taking their outdoor recreation during the summer season, but are now being crowded to the summer season, but are now being crowded to their normal size by the return of their members. The Committees of the Clubs are very busy making arrangements for the winter entertainments. The election of new offices for the clubs for another term will soon take place.

The hot spell of a couple of days unexpectedly broke the continuation of nice, cool weather from last Spring until a few days ago. It was the hottest experience since 1913, the thermometer standing at a little more than 100 degrees. The next day it rained quite hard all day for the first time in that period. It was a treat we enjoyed exceeding ly. Of course, all farmers were especially happy. To day we are having nice and pleasant fall winter.

Well, it can hardly be realized that Thanksgiving Day is a month away and Christmas and New Year are two months away. It indicates that the time flies so fast that it cannot be kept trace of. Now it is about time to start the purchase of presents for Christmas, so as to avoid the rush.

Mr. Chas. Hammond and his best chum, Mr. Thomas, are by a coincidence on the sick list—the former wearing a badly swallen hand as the result of the piercing of cactus, and the latter holding his head stiff as the result of a big boil on the neck.

Mr. U. Cool was very fortune in saving his valuable tools from a fire which destroyed a planing mill last week, except the portion where he is employed. He is also fortunate in not being thrown out of work. The fire seems as if it had advised him to get insurance on the tools.

Inglewood being a surburb near Los Angeles has a chair factory where three silents are steadily employed. They are all residents of that town. It is recalled as being the most damaged by earthquake in Southern California All the Silents are fortune in not being there at the time of the earthquake.

Mr. Robert Haurichorst is devoting his pleasant vacation to his Ford after several years' steady work in an engraving and printing office. He is also all smiles on account of his littles on being like him in most respects.

Enjoying a week's camp life at Big Bear Lake were Mr. and Mrs. Hardley and their relatives, Miss Meyers and Mr. Bulmer, even though they have have had serious experiences on the auto road up there. They all reported a grand time and praised the good scenery about the lake.

Notwithstanding "Fatty" Arbuckle's misfortune, he got released on bail and came here immediately. He will be in seculsion for an indefinite time. "Will he come back" is a question which is now on the tongues of the people. It is not doubted that the comedian has got a good lesson from his action in San Francisco and has decided to start life anew. By the way, in passing the comedian's manison on West Adams Street, there are a lot of rubber necks craning at it daily.

That the manager of the Chicago Nationals and the manager of the Los Angeles League Club are brothers under the the presidency of the famous gum manufacturer who owns the clubs, besides the famous resort at Catalina Island, and also a new steamship running between Los Angeles port and the Island is pleasing news to the readers.

The friends of W. F. Schneider in Oregon will be pleased to learn that he has a good, steady job here. Since shaking off the dust of Portland he has become quite popular with the silent Angelenos.

By the way, the new Winter League which has recently been organized and will start this coming Saturday and finish by the end of December will be composed of four clubs such as San Francisco, Mission of S. F., Vernon and Los Angeles. Cobb of Detroit will manage the San Francisco Club; Heilman of Detroit, the Mission Club; Sisler, of St. Louis Browns, the Vernon Club, and Hornsby, of St. Louis Cardinals, the Los Angeles Club. We will be very fortunate in being able to see them in action, as they are all famous ball players. Frank Chance who was the manager of the Chicago Nationals is the President of the League.

After several weeks' pleasant vacation here, Mr. Seitz has returned home to resume his duties in his shoe business in Oakland. During his stay here he has become quite popular with the deaf, on account of his nationality being Hawiian. He is the only deaf Hawiian on the coast.

The closing of the Pacific Coast League is near, Los Angeles, Sacramento and San Francisco being the hot rivals near the top. Next Sunday will find the winner of the coast.

E. M. PRICE.

Greater New York Branch, N. A. D.

Official notice is herewith given to members and all others interested that the next Semi-Annual Meeting of the Greater New York Branch, N. A. D. will be held at the New York Training School for Teachers, West 119th Street between Seventh and St. Nicholas Avenues, on Tuesday evening, November 22d, 8 o'clock, for the purpose of receiving the various Reports of Committees, and transacting such business as may propely come before it. Please attend.

JOHN H. KENT,
Secretary.

MARCUS L. KENNER,
President.

DETROIT.

We received the following lengthy letter from Mrs C C. Colby, as it is of such interest, I take the liberty to forward it to the JOURNAL. It will reach the Detroit readers of the JOURNAL, more easily than I could do personally. Besides Mrs. Colby is so well known to the JOURNAL readers that I am sure they will appreciate it also. Besides the letter, Mrs. Colby has sent several souvenirs in my care to be distributed among her numerous friends. Every one got their present except Mrs. A. B. Davis, of this city. I could not locate her. If she communicates with me after reading this, I will gladly forward it to her. The presents are all from Bermuda and very beautiful:—

September 20, 1921.

DEAR DETROIT FOLKS:—Sailed from New York dock Saturday, August 13th, passed through the bay, and then the quiet hours on the broad Atlantic.

At sea all day Sunday, and arrived in Bermuda, Monday midnight, and somewhat glad to get on land. We took a drive to Hamilton (Capital), and on our return stopped en-route at Crystal. They have several excursions to the sea gardens, by motorboat, a trip of five miles which was delightful.

From the steamer we embarked in glass bottomed boats and viewed what they call the submarine gardens, where coral reefs were in abundance. We also visited the quaint old 16th century St. George's, which also had boat trip to St. David's Lighthouse, and where we get an extensive view of all the islands and bays, and of the Atlantic Ocean.

Bermuda is the fairest Isle of all the Southern Seas, and is one of Somer's Islands, a gronp in the Atlantic Ocean, the seat of a British Colony about 600 miles, east from Cape Hatteras on the American Coast. Snuggled as they are within a curve of the Gulf Stream.

We noticed the Islands were wholly composed of a white granular limestone, which was very hard and firm. The surface soil is curious kind of red earth, we saw several youngsters making mud pies that looked more like red bricks. No fresh water is found. The natives use the rain water, which they save and preserve in tanks. The shores are fingered with the mangrove and the prickly pear grows abundantly. The citron, sour orange, and lemon grow wild. But the apple and peach are not much of a success.

The woods are thick with currants, raspberries and gooseberries. We fell in love with the Bermuda lilies and oleanders. The birds are beautiful and such a variety of colors.

The caves were a wonderful sight. Glad we did not miss seeing them. Ants are plentiful and goldfish swarm in the ditches.

The Bermuda Hotel is the Gibraltar of the West. It is on Rose Hill, 100 feet above the sea. Built of white limestone. The streets of St. George's are narrow and the drainage bad.

Have already visited several islands—The Mainland, St. George's, St. David's, Somerset and Ireland Island.

Arrived in Porto Rico Island, September 10th. It is about seventy miles, east from Hayti Island, and its general appearance is very beautiful. San Juan Bantista is the capital.

Trees loaded with flowers and tree ferns were just beautiful to look at as they were so large. The natives are descendants of Moorish Jews and of the Canary Islands.

At Gurabo, on the bank of the Rio Grande de Loiza, there is a curious rude stone monument, on its surface of which appear some strange designs. San Juan Bantista has a fine theatre that we attended last night, (September 19th), where a "Fatty" Arbuckle film was being shown and shot up the screen and seized the film, taking it into the streets and burning it.

Now we are in Santiago de Cuba. It is a wonderful city, and is the seaport of Cuba. It is on a bay by a hill side, about 150 feet above the bay through the streets are badly paved.

We are now on way to Key West, Fla.

Exciting voyage!

MRS. C. C. COLBY.

Saturday afternoon, October 1st, a pleasant surprise party was held in honor of our grand old lady, Miss Matella Stark. Miss Stark is not only President of the Ladies Auxilary, but an ardent worker in all undertakings that is in the interest of the deaf. The party was the usual enjoyable event that always occures when one is given. Mrs. Wm. Tagel assisted by Mrs. Jones and Leach were behind the guns. They did things in tip top order and everybody had their fill of eats and games.

The D. A. D. members as a rule are a generous bunch. They are quick to see and appreciate. Any effort of any member, who shows a disposition to help the club financially and morally. Three gold watches have been donated to three different members during the life of the club. However, a damper was put upon their generous efforts to repay good work to such members. Two of them, who received a watch resigned not so long ago. The other answered his last call over the great divide.

Ben Beaver is the happy possessor of a gold watch and chain. The inscription engraved upon the ease is as follow: "Presented to Benjamin J. Beaver by the Detroit Association of the Deaf, July 30, 1921. For good and faithful service." That's sufficient evidence to show of what value Ben is to the D. A. D. Ben is rightfully proud of the honor bestowed upon him So is his newly made wife.

A delightful and hapby wedding took place at the home of the parents of Miss Olive Harrison in Highland Park last month. She became the life prisoner of Mr Franke, Mr. Franke is a police man on the Highland Park Police force. Mrs. Fred Russon gave a nuptial shower at her home in honor of the happy young couple.

The Cincinnati friends of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gilinski will be pleased to learn of the arrival of a baby girl at the Gilinski's home The little Miss will be known to her future friends as Martha Ann.

Mr. and Mrs. Behrendt, formerly of Detroit, but now residing in Grand Rapids, Mich., motored to Detroit, to renew acquaintances with old friends again. Mr Behrendt has a good position in Grand Rapids, which was fortunate for him out unfortunate for Detroit, as it was the cause of depriving this city of one of its popular and hard working members of the Auxiliary and Ladies' Guild. She was President of the Ladies' Auxiliary at the time of her removal to Grand Rapids. She was also one of the hustling committee on the N. A. D Being Chairman of the Housing Committee.

The many friends of Miss Ruth Wilson will be delighted to hear that she has secured a position as teacher at the Kansas School.

Mr. Reon Hoel has returned from a two months' visit in Wilson, N. Y. He stopped at his married sister's summer cottage, where he became very useful as a handy man. He reports having a fine time.

Miss Grace Martin, of Utica, Mich., has been spending a week as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Halsey Day.

Mr. Robert Huhn, President of the Ephphatha Mission, and his wife motored to Jackson, Mich. They were accompanied by Mrs Huhn's married sister and her husband.

The D. A. D. is now located in its new quarters on Michigan Avenue. In the opinion of all, it is the best club room the club will ever got. It is splendidly located, and within easy reach of all. A house warming will soon be the next thing in order, and a deluge of new members are to be expected.

Don't neglect to read the advertisment in the JOURNAL about the Detroit Local Branch of the N. F. S. D. Masquerade Ball. This tip is for outsiders, who intend to visit our city. Put your visit off until the day of the Ball in November. You will sure enjoy both Detroit and the Masque.

The Ford Tractor Works has closed down until January, thus putting several deaf men among the unemployment. This is unfortunate for those who are employed there. The fact that Arthur Meck is one of those will no doubt prolong his visit in Chicago. Arthur and his wife are very popular in among the deaf here, and are greatly missed.

"MRS. Nellie Dillico, a deaf-mute, 5223 Third Avenue, disappeared from her home Sunday, and police are searching for her."

The above clippings was cut from one of Detroit daily paper. Mrs. Dillico is the wife of one of the D A. D. members and a Frat. She is supposed to be in Green Bay, Wis. She is supposed to be mentally arranged and her husband is heart broken. Any one, who happens to run across her will kindly notify Mr. Dillico, 2988 Bellevir Avenue, Detroit, or myself.

F. E RYAN,
6019 John R.

State Accepts New Deaf School Unit.

SALEM, Oct. 13th.—The new industrial building at the State School for Deaf, was formally accepted by the State board of control Wednesday after an inspection of the structure, which is of two stories, concrete construction and covers 45 by 88 feet. It will house the carpenter shop, printing office and the institution's gymnasium. Graham and Aitken of Portland had the general contract on the building on a bid of $12,853. The plumbing was done by McPherson and Irvin of Portland for $1,141.92.

B. H. Drummond of Beatrice, Neb., does not know whether a prolonged airplane flight 10,000 feet up benefited his hearing. He was taken aloft by a flying circus pilot. Friends who had their hearing restored by high flights led Drummond to try it, he said.

FANWOOD.

On Friday evening, October 21st, the High Class entertained the members of the Fanwood Literary Association with readings, a debate, a trialogue and finished with a play.

Below is the program as arranged and directed by the High Class (Seniors):

Reading—"Before One Hour," by Mitchell Czech.
Reading—"The Little Seed-down," by Mary Shea.
Debate—"Resolved, That a strike of railroad men at this time would be harmful to all the people, and would not benefit any." Affirmative—Louis Cassinelli, and Emil Mulfeldt. Negative.—Thomas Whalen, and Samuel Meyers.
Trialogue—by Lester Cahill, Daniel Lazarus, and Samuel Meyers.
Reading—"A Dog of Flanders," by Alfred Ederheimer.
Reading—"A Load of Vegetables," by Meyer Lifshutz.

"THE HERO OF CLASS B."

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Clyde Merrimen, the Hero Louis Cassinelli
Alma Raymond, Clyde's sweetheart Kathleen White
Harry Scott, Clyde's chum . Emil Mulfeldt
Miss Rice, the Teacher . . Meyer Lifshutz
Willie Beacher, the Class Artist Thomas Whalen
The Principal Dan Lazarus
James Knott, ... Alfred Ederheimer
Sam Smith Sam Meyer
Poor Tom, the Dunce Louis Cohen
Skinney Rand, the Coach . Mitchell Czech
Lefty Louis Lester Cahill
Rose Brenner Mary Shea
Sarah Beeman Thursia La Mour
Annie Goodson Edna Purdy
Lucy Hanks Doris Paterson

ACT I
FORDHAM HIGH SCHOOL
SCENE I.—Before school—In the schoolyard.
SCENE II.—In the class-room.
SCENE III.—After school.

ACT II
EVENING STUDY AT THE HOMES OF CLYDE AND ALMA.

ACT III
SCENE I.—The next day before school.
SCENE II.—The verdict.

That play proved an excellent and interesting performance that set the audience yelling and stamping with their feet with approval till the noise in the chapel resembled that of the World War.

On Thursday, June 9th, the Fanwood Athletic Association held its final meeting for the term. At that time the election of the new officers took place for the term of 1921-1922, they are: President, Thos. Whalen; Vice-Psesident, Louis Cassinelli; Secretary, Alfred Ederheimer (re-elected); Treasurer, Louis Cohen; Board of Trustee, Meyer Lifshutz, Richard Marshall, and Humphrey Conlon; Chairman, Sam Finkelstein; Baseball Captain, Ben Shafranek; Wrestling Captain, Samuel Meyer; Track Meet Captain, Louis Cassinelli (re-elected); Tennis Captain, Arthur Jensen; Basketball Captain, Emil Mulfeldt.

The Palette and Brush Club held its first meeting of this year on Wednesday afternoon, October 19th. The following honorary members were duly elected: Principal Isaac B. Gardner, Major William Van Tassell and Dr. Fox.

The President, Cadet Captain Louis Cassinelli, surprised the club members by presentieg them with a fine cover for the minutes of meetings, which was a gift from Charles Moscovitz, the former secretary of the club and now an alumns of Fanwood.

Mr. Frank Lux called on Mr. Philip E. Rotherham, formerly Physical Director of this school, but now Physical Director of the High School of Commerce. Mr. Rotherham kindly showed Mr. Lux around different places of the school, including the swimming pool which was so tempting that Mr. Lux could not help taking a dip. Mr. Rotherham is contemplating purchasing a touring car. He wishes to be remembered to his friends, and is anxious to meet his old deaf pupils again.

Mr. Washington Houston was up here on Wednesday last. He stated that on Sunday, October 16th, he met Mr. Cooper, an old time classmate at Fanwood, whom he had not met for thirty-one years. Mr. Houston will remain in and about New York for several days yet before returning to Philadelphia.

As stated in last week's issue in this column, Miss Alice E. Judge is now back at the Institution, and seemingly looking fine after undergoing an operation some time ago at St. Luke's Hospital. We all hope she will soon regain her former strength.

Mr. George S. Wilkinson, the Storekeeper, who had been confined to his home with a sprained ankle, is back at his post, seemingly himself again. Of course his associates and friends are glad to see him back.

Last Sunday in the chapel, Prof. Jones' dilverance on the theme "Ye are the light of the world," was very interesting.

Miss Bella Bronson of Providence, R. I., has returned home from visiting her relatives in New York, Bensonhurst, Brooklyn, and Bath Beach. She has been also in Arverne, L. I., and Far Rochaway, L. I. for the past four months.

NEW YORK.

News items for this column should be sent direct to the DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL, Station M, New York.
A few words of information in a letter postal card is sufficient. We will do the best

G. C. A. A.

The Metroplitan Chapter of the G. C. A. A. met at St. Ann's Chapel, on the evening of October 15th. The following were elected: President, Dr Edwin Nies; Vice President, Wilbur Gledhill; Secretary, Sara Tredwell; Treasurer, Mrs. Edwin Nies. Dr. Nies fills his new office capably and enthusiastically. Plans are being made for a number of meetings, social and business, throughout the year. The addition of new members during recent years has changed the term "to hire a hall" from a slang phrase to an imperative necessity with the N. Y. Alumni. To get back to the meeting, it closed with refreshments and genial wit. Out-of-town guests were W. W. Beadell, of Arlington, N. J., and Powell Wilson and Kelly Stevens, of Trenton, N J.

THE N. Y. O. W. L. S.

Mrs. Wibur Gledhill entertained the N. Y. O. W. L. S. on October 16th, at her lovely home in Yonkers. A bright October day lent extra pleasure to the gathering. This meeting marked the debut of Nancy, the newest member of the Gledhill family. It is sufficient to say that Nancy endeared herself to the O. W. L. S. with her ingratiating ways and highly developed taste. Refreshments were served. The kind-hearted secretary refuses to state what the refreshments were, fearing to disgruntle forever those members that were absent. At evening the members went home by *la clair de la lune*, kindly supplied by the Gledhills.

DEAF-MUTES' UNION LEAGUE.

On Thursday evening, October 20th, the Deaf-Mutes' Union League held one of the longest meetings in the history of the organization. Several important matters came up, and the discussion was very spirited. Two Active members were admitted, and no less than five new applicants for membership were received. After the meeting the balloting for nominations for the year 1922 took place, and the following were nominated Election takes place on Thursday, December 15th, 1921:—

For President—Anthony Capelle *vs.* Emanuel Souweine.

For First Vice-President—Joseph Sturtz *vs.* Marcus H. Marks.

For Second Vice-President—Julius Seandel *vs.* Fredrick W. Meinken.

For Secretary—Charles Golden *vs.* C. H. Walker.

For Treasurer—Emil Basch *vs.* M. Monselesser.

Three members of the Board of Governors are to be nominated and elected on Thursday, December 15th, 1921.

This Saturday evening, a Hallowe'en party will be given at its rooms.

On Wednesday evening, November 23d, a Thanksgiving Carnival will be held at its rooms.

On Saturday, January 28th, 1922, the League will hold a monster affair at the 22d Regiment Armory. Messrs. A. A. Cohen (Chairman), Max Miller and Sam Lawhrenz are the Committee.

H A D NOTES.

Rabbi A. J. Amateau's sermon last Friday evening, the 21st, was on the Jewish festival of "Succoth" and "Rejoicing of the Law."

This Friday, the 28th, he will speak on "Faithful Wives" The subject will be of unusual interest and all the deaf irrespective of creed are invited to attend. The lecture starts at 9 P.M. Consequently, there is ample time for all to be present.

Two basket ball teams composed of H. A. D members, dubbed the "Erlanger" and "Robertson" Fives respectively clashed on the S. W. J. D. court last Sunday afternoon. The "Erlangers" again vanquished the "Robertsons" by the score of 57 to 29.

The H. A. D. basket ball team is managed by Harry J. Goldberg, and captained by Harry Grossinger. Much more will be heard of this quintet later on.

A bronze memorial tablet in memory of George Rosenfeld, first President of the S. W. J. D. will be unveiled this Sunday afternoon, October 30th, at 3 o'clock.

LEAGUE OF ELECT SURDS.

A meeting of the League of Elect Surds was held at the residence of Mr. C. C. McMann, the Grand Ruler on Saturday evening, October 22d. After the business session, Mr. McMann proved to be a fine host by inviting the members to a fine spread of good things to eat.

The first anniversary of the Blue Bird Club was celebrated by a banquet, which was held on Saturday night, October 15th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lowe in Newark. Mrs. Lowe, sister of Bessie Frey, acted as hostess. The dining hall was beautifully decorated with Blue Bird hangings and Fanwood colored streamers were the means by which the guests received their souvenirs—the ladies receiving small celluloid fans—the gentlemen nail files with cases.

The installation of new officers took place before dinner was served. The outgoing President Bessie Frey delivering a speech ushering into office the new president, Rose Wax. Anna Jacobs succeeds Vera Hoffman as Secretary. As a tribute to a deceased member of the club, Dora Perlman, the president, in making her speech requested the guests to bow their heads in prayer.

The menu was a fine, and every one was in gay spirits, and after dinner stories, dancing, and games were enjoyed by the company. It was a very delightful evening.

Those present were: Bessie Frey, Clara Sylvester, Rose Wax, Anna Jacobs, Sarah Champagne, Vera Hoffman, Mike Ciavolino, Morris Kremen, Charles Sussman, Julius Seandel, Max Hoffman and Moses Schnapp.

Only one member was absent (non-resident) Miss Nadine La Vond, who is now living in Sunny California.

The girls of the Blue Bird Club wish to take this opportunity of extending most heartfelt appreciation to Mrs. Lowe, who did the entire cooking and decorating, and to Mr. and Mrs. Eber, who helped her serve the dinner.

The Blue Birds returned to their nests in the morning, delighted in the success of the affair.

The following is taken from the *Harlem Home News*, a semi-weekly publication, circulating to the Upper Westside Section of the city:—

"Deaf children are much more unhappy than blind children," Dr. Gustave Straubenmuller, associate superintendent of schools, said yesterday when questioned regarding his experience in teaching deaf children.

"Such children are sensitive and suspicious to a marked degree," continued Dr. Straubenmuller. "They see others talking and laughing without being able to understand what is said or the cause of the mirth, and not infrequently they conclude that they are the subject of the talk and amusement. Children who cannot see have not this and similar causes to unhappiness which are peculiar to the child who cannot hear."

Saturday evening, October 22d, was a time that will be remembered by those present as one of the most enjoyable for the beginning of the season.

The reason of this fixed date and the attendance of a huge crowd, was an honor to be bestowed on the fiance of Mr. Samuel Glassner, of New York, Miss Edith Cohen, of Newark, N. J., in the form of a miscellaneous shower, arranged by her sister, Mrs. Johnston at her home in Newark, N. J.

A very large crowd was present which included several deaf, as: Misses Edith Cohen, Nettie Todrias, Jessie Kuliksky, Helen Luetdader, and the Messrs. Samuel Glassner, Morris Rubin, John O'Brien, Aaron Fogel, Barney Greene and Jack Ebin. The others presents were the parents of both, their sisters and brothers, and a number of hearing guests.

The presents were the most beautiful and choicest that one would wish for

Games started around six o'clock and everything was at its height till about nine o'clock, when Mr. Glassner, escorted her to her sister's home and by a fixed signal, all lights were turned out—ah, then they entered and she was grasped in the dark and when the lights were turned on she sure did have the surprise of her young life when she gazed into the huge crowd that assembled to do her honor.

Around 10:30 a repast of some choice sandwiches, cakes, etc., were passed around with drinks—what sort of drinks, the writer refuses to state, for reasons of his own.

Many thanks are due Mr. and Mrs. Johnston for the wonderful arrangements they made for the surprise to Miss Edith Cohen

Both Miss Cohen and Mr. Glassner are members of the Hebrew Association of the Deaf. Mr. Glassner is also a member of the Alphabet Athletic Club.

The marriage of William J. Aalbue and Anna Lindenschmid was solomnized on Saturday evening Oct. 15, in Immanuel Lutheran Church, South Ninth St., between Driggs Ave., and Roebling St., Brooklyn. It was a pretty wedding. Rev. Arthur J. Boll officiated. In order to make the ceremony intelligible to relatives and friends the sign language was accompanied by the spoken word. The music was furnished by the able organist of the church, Mr Carl Hiller, who played Wagner's Wedding March as the couple marched in and "Oh Promise Me" during the ceremony. After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride on E. 57th St. Heartiest congratulation to the young couple.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Downs are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby bop. Albert Oliver, Jr., was baptized at the home of his parents in Jamica on Sunday evening, 16th, by Rev. and Mrs. Arthur J. Boll.

A baby boy was also born to Rev. and Mrs. Arthur Boll. Walter Eugene is the name of this newcomer.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Lutheran Mission to the Deaf decided to hold a fair, the proceeds of which are to be devoted to the Building Fund. December 9th and 10th have been fixed as the dates, and the Parish House of St. Mark's Lutheran Church, 628 Bushwick Ave, Brooklyn, as the place for holding the Fair. The members are taking an active interest in this affair and many of teeir friends have pledged their support.

Misses Annie and Mamie Menton, of Brooklyn, N. Y., gave Hallowe'en party to their friends and relatives at their home last October 22d. The parlors were tastefully decorated for the occassion and a buffet lunch was served. Mr. Joseph Dennan furnished the evening's entertainment with fancy dancing, recitations and games. Those presents were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Melledy, Mr. and Mrs. J. Dennan, Misses Cameron, Ryan, Susie Burns The Quinn sisters, Zahn and Messrs. Tom Gillen, J. Gillen, Walker, McMahon, Gaffney, Carter, and Higgins.

Last Saturday Waldo Ries crossed the Hudson River from Poughkeepsie to Highland on a ferry boat, trolleyed to New Paltz for three quarters of an hour, and then hiked to Mokawk Lake for six miles. The weather was simply grand The scenery was very superb, and a royal sight to Mr. Ries' eyes. On the top of the little mountain, he had a beautiful view many miles away. There he met about one hundred Vassar students. Mr. Ries says that if deaf mutes interested in hiking will write to him an appointment can be arranged for a hike.

A repeat of last year's Christmas Sale and Bazaar for the benefit of St. Elizabeth's Home for Self supporting Deaf Working Women will be held from December 5th to 11th, inclusive. A large collection of useful and in some instances valuable articles have already been donated by friends of the Home. Miss M. Josephine Purtell, director of the Home, recently returned from Chicago, much benefitted by a vacation she richly deserved, after a year's labor in bringing the condition of the Home up to its present efficient state.

Notices have been sent out of a Hallowe'en party at St. Ann's Church, Saturday evening, October 29th. There will be some novel games as well as the old stand-bys and plenty of fun and hiliarity will prevail all the evening. The admission is only twenty-five cents The proceeds are to provide Christmas and Thansgiving dinners for the poor among the deaf, a custom which St. Ann's has kept up for more than forty years Those unable to be present, but wishing to share in this excellent charity may send their donations to the Vicar at the church.

Herman R. Eschert, a cigar maker, born in Germany, fifty-nine years ago and came out in this United States thirty-five years ago and for twenty five years, a resident of Brooklyn, died on October 20th, in Kings Country Hospital. He is survived by a widow, *nee* Eva Frecholder, a daughter, Mrs. Bertha Kniger, and two sons, Joseph and Carl Eschert. The Rev. Arthur Boll officiated at the funeral service last Saturday night, at the family residence, 218 Linden Street, Brooklyn. Interment was made at Lutheran Cemetery, Middle Village, Queens Borough.

Tickets for the Gallaudet Banquet to be held at the Cafe Boulevard, 41st Street and Broadway on Saturday evening, December 10th, are now on sale, and can be obtained from any of the officers of the Greater New York Branch, N. A. D., or Chairman Harry A. Gillen. Covers are $2 75 per person, non-members, $3 00. Full particulars will be given later. In the meantime, it is well that you obtain yours as early as possible.

On Friday, October 21st, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Pfeiffer, of Lake George, N Y; Mrs. Felix A. Simonson and Mrs C. C. McMann, of New York City, were the guests of Mr. Isidore M. Sonn, at Greenwich, N. Y.

"In the World's baseball series championship at the Polo Grounds, Fred G King witnessed the Giants vanquish the Yankees by the score of 2 to 1 last Columbus Day."

Mrs. Hannah Vetterlein is visiting her brother's farm in Long Island with her daughter Helen for a few weeks.

After six weeks spent in Horeb, Maine, Miss Grace Eaton returned to New York City, on October 16th.

OHIO.

[News items for this column may be sent to our Ohio News Bureau, care of Mr. A. B. Greener, 993 Franklin Ave., Columbus, O.]

October 22, 1921.—The Columbus Branch of the Gallaudet College Alumni Association held one of its social meeting last night, at the home of Rev. Utten Read, N. '97, up in the north end of the city, and what is more one of the largest in point of members present. Only two of the former boys were absent. Dr. Patterson, '70, on account of indisposition, and Rev. C. W. Charles, '87 Mr. and Mrs. John C Winemiller, '04 and 1905, respectively had arranged to be of the number, but at the last moment unexpectedly were prevented. Including invited guests the following made up the party.

Mr. Robert MacGregor, '72, Miss Bessie MacGregor, '02, A. B. Greener, '77, Miss May Greener, N. '96, Mrs Greener, Mr. Wm. H. Zorn, '90, Mrs. Zorn, '02, Mr and Mrs. August Beckert, Mr. and Mrs. Ohlemacher, '99, Miss Ethelburger Zell, '02, Mrs Ella Zell, Mr. Ernest Zell, Mrs Herman Cook, '16, (*nee* Bessie McFadden), Mr. Herbert Volp, '16, Mrs. Dorothy Durrant, '24, Katherine Toskey, '24, Mrs. Annie Callison, George Clum and Mrs. Cloa G. Lamson, '00.

Rev. Utten Read, the President of the Branch, called the meeting to order, and after the reading of the minutes of the last gathering were approved

After the transaction of some routine matters, the president remarked that it had been a time since most of the members present had left Gallaudet College, and asked Miss Durrant, who left there last June, to enlighten the members of the activities of the students in recent years, of their clubs, socities, and past times. She gave an interesting resume, which envied ye olden Gallaudets of the long ago, for some of the privileges students now have were unknown to them. It was delve into books and subjects most of the time. There were no football, basket or baseball game teams among the students, and as to movies, they were yet a thing unknown.

Miss Lamson spoke of her stay at Stamford during last summer, the beauties of the place and surrounding country. She had been as far west as Colorado Springs, and noted the grandeur of the mountains and scenery, but to her the east, and vales bespoken a lovlier attraction for her. She had been told eastern people were cold and uncommunicative to common people, but she found the reverse. She liked her work and would be willing to try it again at the same place next season. When the hotel closed, she with several others made a visit to New York and Philadelphia, and found plenty to interest her.

Miss Zell spoke of her trip to the northwest Chicago: Delavan, Duluth, Muckinac Island and incidents attending it. The latter place was especially interesting as there were many historical objects to be seen there

Mr Volp narrated an experience he underment while in college, that some of the students played on him.

Miss May Greener, who had spent several weeks, at Cumberland Falls, Ky, was prevailed upon to speak of the place, and the people in that region. The place is twelve or fifteen miles from the railway station, and is of a primtive character People still live in cabins of the kind Llucoln was born in, containing one or two rooms, occupied by families from two up. A large fireplace, no windows and some of the strucheres are quite dillpated almost ready to tumble down. Yet these people seemed happy and contented.

They are religions too, walking five or six miles, on Sunday, to attend church, and thinking it nothing to do so.

Miss Greener attended a baptismal service adminstered to a poor girl. Before the Rite, the minister gave a long sermon in very simple language, but having the true Christian spirit, and his audience paid close attention to his words throughout. It begain at 10:30 o'clock, and when the baptism was over, it was 1:30 P.M.

Miss Greener told of a family that had moved there from Alberta, Can., a couple of years ago, because the northern climate was too sereve for the father. At Lexington, he was adviced to purchase a tract of 150 acres at Cumberland Falls, which he did. The land is not fit for farming, and they are living in a cabin of two rooms.

There are three children in the family, one of them feebles minded and another a girl is deaf. She is a pupil of Danville School. She was awestruck on seeing Miss Greener at her home talking in signs to her.

Cumberland Falls is a summer resort for people, who desire rest and comfort far from the madden ing crowd. The hotel is quite large the meals of true southern kind, while the falls, the river and the scenery tempt one to make long tramps up and down the mountains and enjoy natures' free offering.

President Read asked Mr. MacGregor to tell the company how an "uncaged" person feels, referring to his long service as a teacher, and now free from the worries and trials, which the duties call for.

Mr. MacGregor replied he felt "bully" glad he was out, had no desire to go back and would not if asked to do so, wished he had come out ten years ago, and he would have felt the better for it now.

Mr. Zorn, Miss Durrant and Mrs. Cook were appointed a committee, to prepare a program for the birthday anniversary of Dr. E. M. Gallaudet.

A bunch of flowers was ordered sent to Dr. Patterson to express the Branch's sympathy, because of his illness.

Toothsome refreshments with coffee were served after the speaking, and later a standing vote was given Rev. and Mrs. Read for the entertainment of the evening.

The Columbus Ladies' Aid Society held a meeting in Trinity Church hall, Thursday evening, with a large attendance of members. Most of the time was devoted to arrangements for the Hallowe'en Social, November 29th.

Mrs. Joseph Leib returned Monday from Hunhington Ind., where she had been visiting with her daughter, Paye, for a month or more.

The whole school Thursday morning enjoyed a treat tendered by the management of the Dreamland Theatre. The play was "Harry Carey in The Fox."

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Jones have turned up again in Cleveland, where Mr. Jones is working in the printing business for the present.

The baby born to Mr. and Mrs. Warren Shafer August 7th was baptized Sunday and given the name of Warren Dale. Mr. Shafer left for home Monday after spending a week with the Stegman's, his wife's family. Mrs. Shafer and baby will remain in Columbus another month, and go home not coming back till Spring.

A. B. G.

PITTSUBRGH.

Monday, October 17th, 1921, will ever be a memorable day in the history of the Western Pennsylvania Institution for the Deaf. On that date the Superintendent, Dr. Wm. N. Burt passed to the beyond. His death cast a gloom not only over the school he had conducted so successfully for thirty-two years, but also over the neighboring communities of Edgewood Park and Wilkinsburg. The flags of all public schools and academies of these boroughs were displayed at half mast on Wednesday, the day of his funeral out of respect for one so well and favorably known in Educational and business affairs. But it was at the Institution where the gloom prevailed most heavily. He was father to the childen and friend to all, so when it was announced that he was no more a hush quickly spread through the school, and it was frequently whispered, "Can it be true." Alas, yes, it was too true.

When it was fully realized that the beloved Superintendent had laid down his burdens for good, and was at rest, a movement started throughout the school among pupils, teachers officers and employees to demonstrate their deepest affection and keenest regard for the departed.

Funeral services were held over the remains on Wednesday, October 19th. A simple service of affection and respect was held in the chapel at 9 o'clock for pupils and others connected with the school. A great sheaf of flowers contributed by the pupils occupied a place on the platform. The service consisted of scripture reading, prayer, hymns in signs in concert, a short address and a benediction.

In the afternoon at 3 o'clock regular funeral services were held in the Superintendents' appartments. Many graduates andformer pupils of the school were present— Over one hundred, perhaps, had viewed the remains, which were quite natural in appearance as they lay on the bed seemingly asleep.

The interment was private at Homewood Cemetery, portions of which are in sight of the Instiiution. The pall-bearers were Mr. J. Charles, President of the Board of Trustees, Mr. Harry Wilson, also a member of the Board, Prof. A. C. Manning, Mr. A. U. Downing, Mr. E. D. Read and G. M. Teegarden.

We learn with regret that Mr. Frank Blackhall met with a serious accident Monday, October 17th, while at work. He had the misfortune to fall from the building he was roofing and broke his left arm in two places, besides sustaining other bad bruises and sprains. It was said this accident happened almost at the hour that Dr. Burt died. It is hoped Mr. Blackhall will soon be able to be out and about his business again.

The writer was greatly surprised recently to meet on the street near his home, Mrs. Georgia Rush, whom it will be remembered was so seriously injured nearly a year ago by being run down by an automobile when she alighted from a street car. She was so badly battered up it was feared she could nor recover. She was confined five or six months to the hospital Notwithstanding for all that, she now appears as if nothing ever happened to her. We were certainly glad to see that she had almost completely recovered.

Mr. Harry Farley, of New Kensington, in company with George Greco, was visting in Edgewood recently. Mr. Farley had his schooling at Mt. Airy, and it seems he has been employed at New Kensington for the past four years, but this is the first time he has cared to come out of his shell and see something of the great city of Pittsburgh. Mr Farley is now talking of locating in Oregon.

The deaf members of the Wilkinsburg, Presbyterian Church met recently and organized a guild for social and educational purposes. The guild will meet quarterly and on occasions as they present themselves on weekday evenings other than Wednesdays and Saturdays. The Club will likely receive the name of "The Wilkinsburg Silent Guild." Here hoping it will make a name for itself worth remembering.

G. M. T.

WASHINGTON—OREGON.

Mrs. Bertram, autoing in a Ford, managed to miss the Delanoy house for an hour. But "the last shall be the first," for she was elected president of the C. F. C. Mrs. Welson was chosen Vice-Presidet; Mrs. Deliglio, Secretary, and Mrs. Linde, Treasurer. A change in name and purpose is proposed for the club.

Alice Sandberg Fowler is in the hospital after an operation for appendicitis.

The next meeting of the C. F. C., or its successor will be held at the Bennick home.

The Vancouver ladies will form a sewing circle at a meeting at the Hunter home.

The Hunters will be done with marketing grapes from their five acre place this week. They will move into town for the year.

The Clarkes attended the picnic of the Prunarians at Washougall, Sunday.

The Clarke County Prune Association has sold a car-load, and a half of 20–30 size prunes to New York, at 18½ cents per pound. The market price is ten cents.

The Schneiders, north of Vancouver, are still on the old place. The brother has cancer in the right eye-lid and brow.

John Hood, of Anacortes, is in Los Angeles.

Oscar Sanders is a hustler. After finding Los Angeles over supplied with printers, he hunted up another job. He says food and clothing are cheap, but rent is skying.

The W. F. Schneiders are satisfied with Los Angeles, and have settled as permanent residents.

J. C. Mueller and Grover Evans find making cider from apple juice, coal oil and lard a failure. They put coal oil on to loosen the rusted bearing in the mill. They also know that the coal oil taste lingers over a day.

The Washington State School team is practicing for a game later on with the Oregon School eleven.

The Reverend Frederick O. Reichle died October 5th. He was the minister and organizer of the first German Baptist Church in Portland. He was born in Baden, Germany, and imigrated to America in 1879, becoming circuit preacher, a pioneer in South Dakota. He was for a time in charge of the church at Stafford. J. O Reichle, Secretary of Portland Division, N. F. S. D., and State Organizer for N. A D. and N. F. S. D., is one of the nine children.

Oscar Larson is back in Seattle, but Mrs. Larson is still in Los Angeles.

Carl Gillis is back in the foundry.

Willie Seaman, Jr., has gone to the cranberry marshes.

Joseph Sutherland has built a nice cottage on his lots at the corner of 19th and Kaufman. Nearly everybody in the twin cities on the Columbia owns a home.

Chas. Lawrence has finished his shoe shop, and installed machinery. The location ought to be ideal.

Mrs. Fisher will be done with cutting grapes this week.

Emily Westbrook is still in California.

Ed. Spieler now knows the garden variety of a bicycle does not hurdle, nor does it dodge. At least his did neither. A barb wire fence stopped them both *via* the grape vine telegraph. The Hunters have the answer to "What comes after the purchase price?" of their D–B car. It may be a locomobile.

The Spratlens have a pocket handkerchief garden that is as the fish and bread in the New Testiment in feeding the multitude They have canned a whole warehouse of things from that garden besides the produce bought on the market.

Ed Langlois grows specimens of the Ponderosa tomato that weigh 2½ pounds each. He ties the plants high on stakes and prunes them. If his flower and vegetable garden as such a success the first year, what will it be the next year? THEO. C. MUELLER.

Oct. 10, 1921.

BOSTON.

On Thursday evening, September 22d, a surprise party was given Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McPherson at their home in Newton Center, Mass. The occasion being their golden wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. M. McPherson came from Nova Scota about four years ago, and during their residence among us have become very popular. Their daughters arranged the whole affair. Those invited met at Newton depot at 8 o'clock and proceeded to the house, which is only a few minutes walk from the depot. Rev. G. Hefflon rang the bell and was admitted while the others waited outside until he had greeted Mr. McPherson, who stood with his back towards the door, then the whole party trooped in, and gave him a real surprise. A very pleasant evening was spent with games and story-telling. About 9 o'clock ice-cream and cake was served. The couple were presented with a ten-dollar gold piece and four silver dollars.

Those present were Mrs. Chase, Mrs Fish, Mrs. Lockwood, Mrs. Ruddolph, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Sargent, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Betts, Mr. and Mrs. Blanchard, Rev. G. H. Hefflon, Mr. Goldsmith, Mrs. Foster, Mrs. Wm. Browne, Misses. McCandlish, Wetmore, Green, Smith, Scarborough

On Thursday evening, September 29th, a surprise was tendered Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Sargent, by Miss Lilian Leupest, at their home in Arlington. The occasion being the fifteenth anniversary of their wedding, Mr. and Mrs Sargent had invited Misses Leupest and Smith and a few hearing relatives to partake of an excellent dinner, gotten up by Mrs. Sargent and Miss Leupest assisted by Miss Smith. Dinner over they were all shown to the parlor while Misses Leupest and Smith washed the dishes and incidently admitted their friends by way of the backdoor. Mr. and Mrs. Sargent were then invited into the kitchen to see how well the work was done while the guests made their way to the parlor through another room. Of course, Mr. and Mrs. Sargent pronounced kitchen spik and span, and on turning to re-enter the parlour were dumbfounded to find it filled with their friends. After receiving congratulation the packages were opened and found to contain glass were of all kinds, including a set of glasses, a beautiful picture, two very handsome flower-vases, some preserve dishes, a beautiful cut glass bowl and a few other things, not including some which came later. A very pleasant social evening was spent, and at 9 o'clock ice cream and cake was served, after which the party broke up.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Sargent and two children, Mr. Sargent's sister and her husband, Mrs. Sargent's sister of Sovnerille, Mr. and Mr. Sherman, Mr. and Mrs. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Holman and daughter, Alice, Mr. Cole, Mr. Curtice, Misses Leupest and Smith.

Donation day held at the Home in Everett on October 12th, was a great success. The Home was open to visitors from 10 o'clock A.M. until 10 P.M. Over a hundred were present. Many useful gifts were received by the committee in charge. Mrs. Cross was as usual in charge of the money gifts. The sum of $236 was received. Visitors from distrance were agreeably surprised at the improvement in Salem Hall. A pleasant afternoon was spent by all present.

On Friday evening at 8 o'clock a Hallowe'en party was held in the Library of Trinity Church Boston. It was in charge of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Richards, Jr., of Quincy, and was a delightful affair, and greatly enjoyed by all present. The games were amusing, consisting of potato races for old ladies and peanut races for young folks, and a bean race for the men.

The potatoe race was a tie between Mrs. Chase and Miss Chapman. The peanut races were won by Miss Mary Lane and Mr. Doherty. The men were supposed to pick up the beans on a knife, but as it was found impossible to do so they gave it up. Mrs. Wm Browne and Miss Wetmore were in charge of the ice-cream, which was sold in cones.

Mr. Wm. Richards had a very painful accident at his work last month, when two of his fingers were caught in the machinery, he has lost the top of the middle finger, he has not been able to return to work since, but reports that it is healing favorably.

S. S.

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